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Dear Madam:-

We have just received, direct from PARIS and LONDON, a large shipment of LADIES' SHOPPING BAGS. These goods are the pick of the European market; the instructions given to our buyer were:—"Only the most CHIC and RECHERCHE styles were to be included." The materials used in their construction are of the HIGHEST and MOST FASHIONABLE qualities, including amongst others, Walrus, Morocco, Undressed Kangaroo, Lizard and Seal skin.

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Victim of Conspiracy

G. D. Collins Says He Is Enmeshed in Persecution Launched by 'Frisco Bank.

Press Bar and Bench of City Is All Arrayed in Plot Against Him.

Alleged Enmity Caused by His Aggressiveness on Behalf of Clients.

GEORGE D. COLLINS, the San Francisco lawyer charged with perjury arising out of an action for maintenance at San Francisco, and whose difficulties had been sought before Judge Lampman by the State of California, says he is the victim of a conspiracy launched against him by the Hibernian bank of San Francisco, because he refused to stay proceedings against them for a client, aided by Judges Lawlor, Kerrigan and Graham, who were enemies to him, the grand jury empaneled by Judge Lawlor at San Francisco, which included many enemies, the Bar Association of San Francisco, which threatened to disbar him, and the San Francisco newspapers, the Chronicle, Call, Examiner and Tribune, all of which intended to seek railroads from him, when he remained their purpose and deemed because of his aggressiveness in the interest of clients, and because of his securing the release of certain clients convicted by juries by the reversal of judgments against them upon technicalities. The judges entered on the conspiracy against him, he alleges, because he reversed some of their decisions, amongst others that of Judge Morrow convicting Williams, a customs inspector, of impertaining Chinese women, because of which Judge Morrow had stated he fixed up the record. He detailed many cases he had won. In one instance he secured the release of accused after conviction on technicalities, notably the cases of Turner, accused of swindling, who was afterwards shot and killed by a victim in front of Collins' office, and Handstead and others accused of being in league with the then public administrator, to loot the John Sullivan estate, by producing a false heir; because of his having secured the release of these persons he had been attacked by press, bar and public at San Francisco, and earned the enmity of judges. There were also antagonistic feelings between his supporters in preventing the police by legal means from raiding houses of prostitution and gambling houses, and because he secured the removal of Police Commissioner Hutton with Mayor Schmidt's assistance because of which he was alleged by those arrayed.

In Conspiracy Against Him

to be a lawyer of the Schmidt administration. The Hibernian bank started the present prosecution against him because, he says, while representing a claim against the Robinson estate, upon which the bank had a mortgage, he found the mortgage had been lost. He was threatened with disbarment proceedings by the bank unless he desisted from the action. When his wife (Agnes Newman) died, she had an account in the Hibernian bank, which she assigned to him, and he made arrangements at bank, withdrawing the money. Later, for his wife's death, William Newman, his brother, offered his services to the Hibernian bank, because witness would not give him part of the money and stated falsely witness had married his sister Charlotte instead of Agnes. The charge of bigamy was instituted at the instance of the Hibernian bank people, those interested in publishing the San Francisco Chronicle, Judges Lawlor, Kerrigan and to some extent Judge Graham.

When the cross-examination by Mr. Higgins was over, Collins said he had gone to Lexington, Kentucky, in 1878, went to California in 1876, and was admitted to practice law in 1876. He was shown the deposition of Florence Newman stating she was at the wedding of accused and Charlotte Newman. He disputed that Florence Newman stated what was absolutely false when she said he married her sister Charlotte, and she knew it, but she had a reason for testifying falsely.

Charlotte Newman Also Swore Falsely

he said, in her deposition when she claimed to have married him. He can't say his wife was without ground. The three children she had were those of accused and her sister Agnes. He believed they were still in her custody, but from what he heard of her conduct, or misconduct, he did not think she looked fit.

Mr. Higgins read her affidavit, in which she stated she was Collins' legal wife, and was about to be excommunicated from the premises, for which Collins had formerly paid rent, and that her son's clothing needed clothing which her father Collins, refused to provide.

This, he said, was false. She was being excommunicated, instead of being excommunicated, she was his wife. He having decided to take the step when she showed up again he was his wife. He was preparing papers for a habeas corpus proceeding to recover his child when the present proceedings were started. He had not the slightest idea where his children were, but thought friends would look after them. He refused to say who those friends were. The evidence of Mrs. Curran and William Newman as to a wedding between him and Charlotte Newman was absolutely false. He had not cared to question them when they gave evidence.

He Knew They Were Lying

and intended to repeat only what they came to assert.

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Bound for the Baltic.

London, Aug. 15.—The channel squadron, consisting of eleven battleships, eight cruisers and a flotilla of torpedo boats, under the command of Sir Arthur Wilson, sailed from Spithead this morning bound for the Baltic sea. During the cruise the squadron will visit Yuden, Gradaep, Swinemunde and Neufahrwasser.

Affairs of Outposts.

Reconnaissance in Force Results in Usual Fatalities.

Field Headquarters of Japanese Army in Manchuria, Aug. 13, via Fusan, Aug. 15.—A Japanese reconnaissance in force along the line of the railway on the Kinkin road from Changtuftin, above the Russian outposts. On August 12 eleven Russians were killed and ten captured in a counter reconnaissance in the section of the Kintyren. The Russians were driven back by the Japanese outposts.

49'er Passes Away.

Pioneer of California Gold Rush Dies in the East.

Middletown, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Stephen Caldwell, 70, is dead from being struck by a train near his home. He was 86 years old. Caldwell was in the rush to the California gold fields in 1849. He made a fortune. While returning by the sea route the vessel was burned, and though many were lost, he was picked up after floating a long time. Later he returned to California and was badly injured in a mine disaster.

Came from Missouri.

Indiana Lady Subject to Surveillance of Nervous Physicians.

La Porte, Ind., Aug. 15.—Though she is not ill, the condition of Mrs. Francis Shreve of Waterford, this county, is closely watched by physicians. Mrs. Shreve returned a few days ago from Missouri, where her two sisters died of a disease pronounced by the attending physician to be swamp fever. Since her return, Mrs. Shreve has received word that her mother has died of the same disease. Physicians here fear the disease may be yellow fever.

Pacific Coast Happenings

Portland Chinese Collect \$10,000 to Assist the Boycott Movement.

North West Baseball League Decide to Play Out Schedule.

PORTLAND, Aug. 15.—According to the Telegram-taught, the Chinese of Portland have undertaken to raise \$10,000 to aid the boycott in China against America. Two meetings of the local clubs have been held, the result of which is that it was decided that each Chinaman in Portland should contribute at least \$2 toward the campaign. A merchant stated today that every Chinaman in the world had been invited to give \$2.

Tacoma, Aug. 15.—A meeting of striking telegraphers was held here last night which was attended by nearly one hundred members of the union. The reports made claimed that the position of the strikers is growing stronger as time passes. Chairman Howard today issued a statement contradicting the reports published to the effect that the strike has not perceptibly affected traffic on the Northern Pacific and Great Northern, pointing to several delayed trains as evidence sustaining his assertion. He says that President Perkins of the union has seen word that a new statement has been issued before J. D. Hill, and that the telegraphers expect a definite result in the near future. Mr. Howard further says the governors of several states through which the roads run have taken up the matter in the interest of public welfare and have instructed the labor commissioners to gather as much data as possible.

Bakersfield, Calif., Aug. 15.—Fire today destroyed ten buildings in the heart of the business district. Will Complete Ball Schedule.

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Negotiations Near Crisis

Two More Articles Were Disposed of at the Session Yesterday.

Sekhalien Island May Pass In in Lieu of Cost of the War.

Compact of Secrecy Said to Have Been Stipulated for by Cassini.

PORTSMOUTH, Aug. 15.—The crisis in the peace negotiations upon which the eyes of the world are fastened, is approaching rapidly, and the end of this week or the first of next at latest should witness the deadlock and the end of the conference if it is to go to pieces.

Two more of the twelve articles, numbers four and six, were disposed of today. Article four consists of mutual pledges to observe the integrity of China and the peaceful development of the commerce of all nations; and article six covers the surrender of the Russian leases to the Liutung peninsula, Port Arthur, Dalmat and the Blaids and Elbow islands. To article four both parties gave ready assent and the official statement of the adoption of the article took care to state that it was agreed to "unanimously."

Article five, the consideration of which will be postponed until later, provides for the session of Cassini.

A Discussion Appearing Useless at this stage on account of a firm negative given in the Russian reply, it was decided upon the motion of the Japanese to defer its discussion, thus revealing the Japanese intention of postponing to the end the life and death struggle. This is the usual procedure followed in government negotiations. By postponing the burning questions to the end the psychological moment for bargain and compromise arrives. Then is hurried the last trump cards, and the game is done. And there is growing hope of compromise.

To the closest observer the final solution begins to crystallize quite naturally the Russian yielding to the cost of Sekhalien, Japan taking compensation in the money to be returned to Japan by China on account of the transfer to her of the Chinese Eastern railroad, which Russia contends belongs to a private country, therefore unconfiscable by China.

Chinese Eastern Railway

Article 3, which was agreed to yesterday, it developed, too, was incorrectly stated to be the cession of the Chinese Eastern railroad. That article comes later. The third article pertained to the restoration of the Chinese administration in the province of Manchuria, and was a necessary and natural consequence to article providing for mutual evacuation and mutual recognition of Chinese territorial integrity and the "open door" policy.

The mistake was due to the fact that the railroad question involved generally in the question of the restoration of Chinese administration in Manchuria was touched. When the Japanese powers again faced each other this evening, having before taking up article 4 was the reading and signing of the protocols of yesterday's proceedings, including the draft of the three articles agreed upon and the minutes of the discussion. The Associated Press is now able to state authoritatively from both sides that the "twelve articles" now before them constitute the "basis" of a prospective "treaty of Washington," but as the wording is subject to revision it does not, as accepted, necessarily establish the final text.

The Compact of Secrecy

The Japanese version of the origin and history of the decision of the plenipotentiaries to observe the strictest secrecy regarding the proceedings of the peace conference differs materially from the Russian. From an authoritative Japanese source the Associated Press is informed that secrecy was one of the conditions arranged between the representatives of the two countries at Washington before the plenipotentiaries arrived in this country.

One of the chief reasons advanced by Count Cassini for not insisting to have the conference held in Washington was that public sentiment in America was hostile to the Russians and that the proceedings could not be kept out of the press. Therefore, he insisted if the conference was to be held in the United States it was essential that the most rigid secrecy be observed. The matter was the subject of an exchange of views between Count Cassini and Mr. Taft, who has been committed at Washington before the plenipotentiaries are ready to quit.

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Another Prisoner Escapes.

New Westminster, Aug. 15.—(Special)—Thomas Ryan, who had served one month of a three months' sentence for stealing at Ladner, disappeared from the chain gang this morning. A large gang was working under Guard Burr at Queen's Park, and about 11 a. m. Ryan was missed. He is still at large. He is the third to get away in the last three months.

MR. SCHWAB'S TRIP.

Steel Magnate Discards Connection With Russian Orders for Armor.

New York, Aug. 15.—I am not going to Scotland to see Mr. Carnegie, nor am I going to Europe on business in any manner connected with the Russian army plate contract. I am going abroad to learn how to build the ships in the Arctic and my trip at this time concerns itself with nothing else." This statement, according to the American, was made yesterday by Charles M. Schwab, in the midst of hurry and confusion attending the preparations for his departure for Europe this morning.

U. S. LUMBER IN GERMANY.

State Department Remonstrates With Berlin on Alleged Discrimination.

Washington, Aug. 15.—Although the subject has figured for several years past in the diplomatic exchanges between America and Germany, renewed interest is being taken by the state department in the representations made to the German government in behalf of the American lumber exporting trade relative to alleged discrimination on the part of the government controlled German railroads against American lumber. Ambassador Tower has been instructed to inform the German government that the United States makes no discrimination between countries in the imposition of customs duties, and American imports into Germany should be treated in the same manner. The American exports are stated to draw what the lumber exporters regard as a purely fanciful comparison of prices between standard woods and European hardwoods as a basis for imposing much higher railroad rates on the former.

Schooner Capsized.

Norfolk, Aug. 15.—The schooner Garland, bound from Port Marion for Sydney, with a cargo of lumber, and owned at Southport, U. E., North Sydney, was struck by a severe squall this afternoon and capsized off Lingon head. The crew were seen to fall away from the bottom of their overturned craft.

Co-operative Concern Winds Up.

Brandon, Man., Aug. 15.—Brandon Co-operative Company, Ltd., today decided to cease business, owing to inability to successfully meet the keen competition. It was a co-operative concern, the stockholders being principally Western farmers. Assets, \$65,000; liabilities, \$10,000.

Apple-Growing Proves Successful at Edmonton—Fall Wheat Creeps.

Edmonton, N.W.T., Aug. 15.—The growing of apples was successful here at last. A fair crop has a tree bearing Dundee and Oldenburg variety of fruit which is of fine quality.

The results of fall wheat crop was so successful this year throughout this section that it is impossible to secure seed for all farmers desiring to sow it this fall, consequently the crop will be smaller than was expected next year.

At the Terminal City.

Vancouver, Aug. 15.—Premier Murray of Nova Scotia and family, who have been touring in California, returned East on today's Imperial Limited.

H. K. G. Simonet was round from sleep early this morning by a noise downstairs, and going down to investigate encountered a burglar. The latter shot him through the breast and then escaped. A few days ago a burglar shot at Albert Adams, a contractor, while just previously another house was successfully burglarized.

A special school board meeting tonight on the school holiday question was somewhat acrimonious. Dr. C. J. Fagan warned the board that it had somewhat overstepped its powers in lengthening the holidays. Sup't. Robinson going further by remarking that the action was likely to be taken by the Board of Education.

It is understood that the tariff commission's tour will include the Pacific coast next month.

Commissioner Perry of the Northwest Mounted Police, reports that the sixteen Donkobers who were seized with a religious mania that led them to abandon their property and march to the Arctic in a state of nudity in search of Christ, have been committed at Yorkton as insane. No progress is being made in persuading the women of the party to return to the village. Police patrols are now in all Donkobers villages to ascertain if any more are on the march.

TRIED TO ENTER LION'S CAGE.

Blackpool, Eng., Aug. 15.—Two lions, the property of the city, were round loose today in the yard adjoining the cage, together with portions of the enclosure of a workman. It appears that the man had made the beast that he would enter the lions' cage. Evidently an attempt to carry out this boast he opened the cage.

DESTINITY IN SPAIN.

Jails Filled With Unfortunates Seeking Food and Shelter.

Seville, Spain, Aug. 15.—A commission of landed proprietors and farmers had met before the authorities to consider the possibility of opening in and about Osuna, in Andalusia, a Jewish colony. They estimate that there are 5,000 workmen armed with rifles roaming about the country. The municipal authorities disclaim responsibility for this condition

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Some of the Indians when rescued were found to have been badly injured, being cut about the head and covered with bruises. The roof of the church and one or two houses further from the river's bank were piled up against the track embankment. The Thompson was backed up and the back flow flooded out the residences and stables on the edge of the river at Spence's Bridge. Horses, cattle and other live stock were caught by the water, but most were rescued before the flow got too deep.

A slide occurred almost at the same spot in 1887, but it was then below the embankment, while this time it was just opposite.

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The course of the river has been altered, earth being piled high up in the centre of the old channel. The C. P. R. track is high up and back from the channel, and traffic is not interfered with. The train was stopped half an hour at the scene of the slide.

After the slide, thousands of stranded salmon could be seen in the shallows water struggling to escape. Officials of the C. P. R. engineering department state that the slide was caused by irrigation on the beach lands. Similar slides had occurred in 1882 and 1887, but fortunately these had not been attended by loss of life. This year the Indians are said to have been pouring large quantities of water on these beach lands in order to get a heavy second crop of hay, and this unusual amount of moisture undoubtedly caused the catastrophe.

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TRIBUTE TO HIS MEMORY.

An Appreciation by Former Colleagues of the Late J. A. Grahame.

The following appeared in a recent issue of the Canadian Gazette, published in London:

Sir—Permit me to offer a few brief words through the medium of your widely read journal, regarding the death of Mr. Commissioner Grahame, which, personally, I deeply regret. His kind and genial nature, his advice and encouragement were to me truly, more than that of a father. It cast a gravity over me to hear that this veteran pillar of my company had passed away, and was now, like so many travelers and administrators of our history, one of the men of the past.

After the death of Sir George Simpson in 1860, he succeeded him as managing director of the Hudson's Bay Company, and his influence and popularity were such that he was soon elected a member of the Royal Society of Canada.

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August 15th, 1905.

Ootsa Lake
And BulkleyDescription of the Country by
a Resident in the
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Best Trails to the
Lake.

V. M. Scribner, who is now sojourning in the northern interior, forwards the Colonist the following interesting description of the Bulkley valley district and Ootsa lake trails:

From the steaming landing at Bella Coola to the end of the trail road at Canoe crossing is 32 miles. At this point there is a choice of two trails for those who are bound for Ootsa lake. The summer trail commences to climb up the mountain and the winter trail keeps on up the valley to the Big Slue, 35 miles away. Here it climbs out of the valley, and at the precipice ten miles farther on, reaches the level of the interior plateau. Five miles farther on the trail forks, the trail to the right extending on to the Cutlecan district. We follow the trail to the left and about twelve miles beyond the Salmon river at the west end of Anaham lake. There is good trout fishing to be had here; ducks and geese are plentiful and even the lordly caribou has a fondness for the locality.

On descent into the valley down a very steep trail is made with some difficulty, and we find ourselves a canoe crossing once more. The country through which the trails that I have briefly described passes is entirely undeveloped. The hills have not been prospected as yet. The valleys contain many fine locations for homes, which will no doubt be taken in the near future. The climate is finer than that enjoyed by many places much further south. To the tourist I would say, If you seek quiet sport, pure air, beautiful scenery and trail over ground that has not been overrun by the crowds of common pleasure seekers, try a trip over the trails that I have just passed over."

THE FUEL TESTS.

Temporary Ovens in Readiness to Conduct Some Experiments.

The test ovens in course of erection on Store street for the purposes of Professor Lowe's tests of the various samples of Vancouver Island coal to be supplied to the Canadian Pacific.

The tests are now practically completed and quickly drying out, and everything will be in readiness for the tests which will be made in a few days' time.

The professor explained to the Colonist the actual object for which this coal supply is required. Under new process, patented comparatively recently by himself, to manufacture from bituminous coal a substitute for anthracite coal a smokeless fuel suitable for domestic uses, and also of superior grade for metallurgical and other manufacturing purposes, simultaneously utilizing the gases to produce gas for illuminating purposes and a substitute for natural gas for fuel and power.

"My new system," said Professor Lowe, "is in active use in Los Angeles and San Francisco and in the works near Philadelphia. My old system, in which anthracite and coke is used for water gas is, as I said before, in almost universal use throughout the United States and Canada. Both systems are patented but the new system is patented throughout the entire world."

Naval Visitor.—The United States torpedo boat Paul Jones arrived in Esquimalt harbor last evening and will remain in port for the greater part of a week.

Nothing on the Market Equal to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This fact is well known to druggists everywhere, and nine out of ten will give their customers this preparation when the best is asked for. Mr. Obie Witmer, a prominent druggist of Joplin, Mo., in a circular to his customers, says: "There is nothing on the market in the way of patent medicine which equals Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for bowel complaints. We sell and prescribe this preparation." For sale by all druggists.

For school opening, exercise books and Busted Brown scribblers, 6 for 25c, Victoria Book and Stationery Co., Ltd.

PERSONAL.

W. J. Dowler, city clerk, has resigned his municipal duties after a month's holiday. During his absence Assistant City Clerk Ernest Bradley officiated as chief of the department in a very satisfactory fashion.

Miss L. McMillan, of D. Spencer, Ltd., left on Monday on a visit to New York, Buffalo and other Eastern cities.

H. P. Nelson of Chicago is in the city. He has been touring the South and came to Victoria from the City of Mexico.

Mrs. A. P. Murray, Mrs. E. Roberts, Mount; K. Evans, Philadelphia; O. String and wife, Toddrupille, Wis., are at the King Edward.

The Driard guests include: Jesse H. Taylor, W. Bennett Hood, C.S.V. branch, Vancouver; C. S. Rollston, Vancouver; D. H. Flint, Vancouver; Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Farr, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Bihler, Henry Bjur, Miss M. Bunting, New York; Mendoza E. Costa and wife, Lisbon; Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Sutherland, Sakit; Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hanten, Whistler; T. W. Petty and wife, Rossland; Leigh McArthur, Toronto; Mr. Freeman, wife, Lethbridge; O. Freeman, Lethbridge.

The Dominion are: Mrs. T. H. Cole, Vancouver; H. T. Tuck, Victoria; A. H. E. Borland, Montreal; R. W. Ellis, Ottawa; Arch Wright and wife, the Misses Wright; G. H. Whinipeg; H. S. Peale, Halifax; G. W. Forrest, Alberta; Lt. Fletcher and wife, Ladysmith; G. B. Christensen and son, Capt. Scott, H. J. Galley, Whinipeg; Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Baker, Edmonton; Mrs. W. Thora, Fort Saskatchewan; J. A. Sutley, Manor Assa; J. E. Rice, Calgary; W. J. Park, Vancouver; Geo. F. Lewis, Whinipeg; G. H. Leckie, D. C. Leckie, Whinipeg.

At the Vernon hotel are: Mr. and Mrs. J. G. L. Dobson and wife, Victoria; Jas. T. Martin, Vancouver; A. C. Barnhart and wife, Knoxville, Ill.; David Daniel and wife, Brooklyn, N.Y.; W. F. Peet,桂林; N. W. T.; Mrs. Gallop, Mrs. Wade, Leominster, Mass.; Robt. Allan and wife, Ladysmith; G. H. Knowlton, Miss. V. W. S. Vancouver; Mrs. Dr. Baker, Miss. Salt Spring Island; A. C. Lochead, Vancouver.

H. T. Fall, S. F. Norris, Cowichan; J. N. Fisher and wife, Vancouver, are at the New England.

Registered at the Hotel St. Francis are: J. W. Walker, James Pick, S. H. A. S. Simonds, W. Taylor, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. H. Trimble, Portland, Ore.; Mr. and Mrs. Barzough, Mrs. Head, Whinipeg; Miss. Mascot, Edinburgh, Scotland; Helen Berberle, Lilian De Vill, Seattle; Chas. Ritter and wife, Denver, Colo.

Victim of Conspiracy

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charge against Curran?" asked Mr. Higgins.

"It would not follow that there was not one because I had not heard of it," replied accused.

"Was there a criminal charge against George D. Collins of bigamy?" asked Mr. Higgins.

"Yes," replied witness.

Mr. Higgins—Then why didn't you stay to defend it?

Mr. Collins—Because the prosecution had got its case, objecting the railroading of the accused to judgment, a jury being secured by Judge Lawlor, and in conspiracy against him, and considering the better part of valor, of the accused concluded to come to a country where such conspiracies could not exist.

There was some applause from some of the spectators present.

Mr. Higgins—You know Judge Lawlor entered a conspiracy. What was it?

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BRITISH CAPITAL IN CANADA.

In view of the fact that we have heard frequent criticisms of the failure of British capitalists to invest in Canada, it will be interesting to note the following statement published in the London Times as to the distribution of new capital outside of the United Kingdom:

United States	£41,350,707
Japan	30,200,000
South Africa	15,513,520
Canada	10,788,287
South America	6,658,200
India	5,333,707
Australasia	3,800,000

The United States was formerly a most popular field for investment, a great deal of which, probably one-half, became profitless and worthless. It was said that Great Britain had a blanket mortgage over the whole of that country. The money loaned throughout the West by New York houses was really British capital borrowed at a low rate of interest. Now that state of things has altered to a large degree and New York is an important money centre of itself and is taking a hand in world finance. The United States, however, still heads the list for British investment on account of the extent of industrial enterprises and large population. Japan ranks high because of her huge war expenditures and South Africa on account of her mines, developed almost wholly by British capital, and her railways. Recently Australia, which drew heavily in former years, has not been favored.

Canada for many years failed to draw.

To a great extent this was due to the fact that the United States, South Africa and Australia were more fashionable. The trend was that way, and it took years for economic conditions to change. Canada, by virtue of her steady plodding and the success of her own efforts, became a factor of the Empire and forced the attention of the men of money as a field for enterprise. Capitalists are keen, long-headed, far-seeing men as a rule, just like other classes of the community, they are a flock of sheep who follow the lead of the financial bell weather. After years of waiting the psychological moment arrived. It came Canada's turn. Today the eyes of the whole financial world are upon the Dominion, and its securities are the prime favorites. During the first six months of the present year no less than \$132,721,486 was subscribed by British investors for enterprises in Canada and other countries, as shown in the foregoing table.

The investment in Canada include \$6,102,000 for the three issues of the Grand Trunk Pacific floated during the half year, and £1,025,000 for the Canada Atlantic; £2,533,287 for Canadian Northern issues; £60,000 for the Imperial Paper Mills at Sturgeon Falls, Ont.; £150,000 for the Montreal Light, Heat & Power Company; £78,000 for Quebec City; £400,000 for the Shawinigan Water & Pulp Company, and £150,000 for the Western Canada Pulp & Paper Company.

Canada can certainly no longer complain, and we look for the time when British Columbia will be as popular in this respect as the rest of the Dominion.

Our time will come.

"VICTORY" SOUVENIRS.

The Nelson centenary is being very actively promoted in naval and military circles. Such men as Lord Curzon, the Earl of Spencer, Vice-Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, Field Marshal Roberts and Lord Brassey are giving their warmest sympathy and support. Even Captain A. T. Mahan, of the United States navy, the gifted author of the "Life of Nelson" and other noted works on naval affairs is keenly interested. Needless to say that the Navy League is most active in its efforts in the same direction.

Pursuant to a suggestion in a letter which appeared in the London Times nearly a year ago, the occasion is to be marked by the issuance of a special "Victory" souvenir for boys and girls. In this connection there is what is known as a "Nelson Centenary Memorial Fund," which is to help seamen in all parts of the world. This is perhaps the best and most appropriate way in which the memory of Nelson can be perpetuated. In the language of the London Times, "Nelson's fame is part of the world's history, and his example and his memory will be cherished by seamen as long as that history endures." It is a remarkable coincidence that Nelson's centenary should occur in a year marked by another of the most notable naval victories the world has seen since the days of Trafalgar, that of Togo over the Russian Baltic fleet. In the letter in the Times of last year, by Lord

Curzon, he said: "The world is

now in a position to present some million Nelson "Victory" souvenirs to the boys and girls of the Empire."

In a circular letter, just received, some of the details of the plan that has been adopted to raise the fund in question, which it is expected to reach about £50,000, are given. In this it says:

"We notice in the Old Country that in some of the widely read Canadian press it has got abroad that the dear old Victory, of Nelson fame, has been entirely broken up. Fortunately this is not the case, and King Edward has preserved this historic and famous ship as the one floating monument of that great era of the sea which ended in Trafalgar. After the accident which befel H. M. S. Victory, the damaged parts were taken from her, and it is this material—oak and copper—which was given by the lords of the admiralty to the British and Foreign Sailors' Society."

The plan of raising money suggested by the possession of these relics is to offer a Nelson centenary memento, actually containing copper from the Victory—a suitably inscribed medal or brooch, which "will be a lasting and priceless souvenir—to the boy or girl who will send one dollar or upwards to the fund." The King has given his permission to have his initials stamped on the mementoes. The committee of management expect to sell about a million of them in this way.

There is also a plan especially for schools, but open for cities, institutions and families contributing to the same fund: A school collecting £5 5s and upwards, a small oak shield with a plate of centenary "Victory" copper and suitable inscription; £10 10s and upwards, a "Victory" copper tray of special "Victory" design; £25 and upwards, a very fine shield of "Victory" copper, mounted on oak; £50 and upwards will have a choice of a bust of Nelson, containing "Victory" copper, on stand or oak bracket; or a single block of oak from the "Victory," with copper plate bearing a centenary inscription.

In addition to the foregoing, which is a plan of campaign for a specific purpose, there are preparations being made in London and throughout the Empire for fetes of a musical, nautical and demonstrative character. We are asked to state that contributions to the fun, from whatever source, should be sent to Edward W. Matthews, Secretary, Passmore Edwards' Sailor's Palace, Limehouse, London, E.

In compliance with the desire that the matter should have publicity, we give the above particulars. The object in view is a worthy one but as the public have many demands on their pockets for various worthy objects, made through one form or another, we do not feel called upon to specially advocate the giving in the way suggested. Such a matter should be entirely voluntary. Those who are in sympathy and can afford to make a contribution would probably prize a memento of this kind. As seafarers, the coast cities of British Columbia will naturally feel more interested in it than most other parts of Canada, or of the province. As a souvenir many would value it sufficiently for its own sake, to send their dollars.

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The Montreal Gazette, which, in view of Montreal's experience of British Columbia mining stocks, is suspicious of mining companies, says: "If half the reports being published are well founded, the Cobalt district in 'New Ontario' is one of the rich silver mining sections of North America. If half the reports are true, also, there will be a new flood of stock of ten cents a share, mining companies offered to the small investor."

Premier Laurier, because he opposed the educational policy of the Dominion government in respect to the new provinces, is having the Liberal "machines" turned upon him from every quarter. It matters not that he does not believe in "party lines" in provincial politics. He has been guilty of not agreeing with the authorities at Ottawa. He has not bowed the knee to Baal. He must be crushed.

The new Transcontinental Railway Commission as reorganized consists of Mr. Parent, lawyer and politician; Mr. McIsaac, ex-M.P., politician; Mr. Reid, of London, politician and corset-maker; Mr. Young, of Manitoba, politician and grain buyer. Sir Wilfrid Laurier admitted that in the last general election he was not a "business man." He certainly has great faith in politicians, when he appoints a board of commissioners to build a railway half way across the continent, not one of whom knows anything of railroads.

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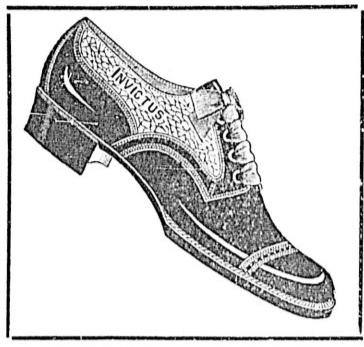
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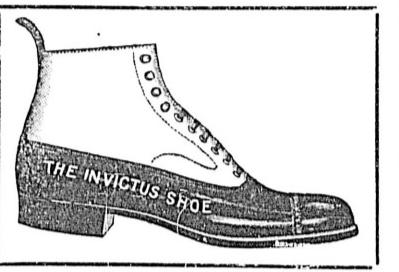
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City of Seattle Arrives With Excursionists—Princess Beatrice From Skagway.

Tees Goes North—Tricolor Is Total Loss—Machinery Cannot Be Saved.

Steamer City of Seattle reached port yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, and remained until 1 p.m., with 191 tourists returning from an excursion trip to Alaska. The steamer Spokane had completed its excursion from Alaska. The excursion trade this year has assumed such large proportions that the steamer City of Seattle was of necessity placed in the service to take the overflow of the Spokane, which had all the accommodation booked months in advance. The steamer Princess Beatrice, of the C. P. R., also arrived yesterday from the North, bringing a fair complement of passengers from Skagway and Northern British Columbia ports.

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TRICOLOR TOTAL LOSS.

Underwriters Cannot Get Machinery From Stranded Steam Collier.

The Norwegian collier Tricolor has been abandoned by the underwriters, who say she is so lodged among the rocks that it will be impossible to get any vessel alongside to help her. Capt. John Metcalf, Lloyd's surveyor, and James Mickey have returned to San Francisco from the place where she lies, and they report that she is lying on such a rocky bottom that it will be useless to make any attempt to save her. Their best attempt on the part of the underwriters to save any of the machinery, owing to the rocky condition of the bottom of that vicinity, and the uncertainty of the weather. The Tricolor went ashore July 24. She is barely a year old yet. She cost about \$300,000.

WILL RESUME SERVICE.

Japanese Steamship Lines to Re-Establish Business With This Coast.

It is reported that the N. Y. K. line will at once resume service on the Orient-Victoria and Seattle run, in which two liners are now in service, whereas there were six before the war. The San Francisco line will also be resumed, according to a despatch from the Bay City. This despatch says: "The Toyo Kisen Kai-sha steamship line is about to resume business between here and the Orient. It has been officially announced that the steamship America would leave Yokohama for this port on or about September 15, and that from that time the regular service of this line will be resumed. The two other steamships belonging to this company, the Nippon and the Iwami, are to go into service as soon as they can be put in condition. They have been out of commission for over a year."

Shortly after the war between Russia and Japan broke out these three vessels were changed into auxiliary cruisers and have since been in charge of the government. Now they are once more turned back to the steamship company, which will put them back into the passenger service.

LUMBER FOR CANAL.

British Steamer Como Carrying a Big Cargo to Panama.

The British steamer Como, which sailed from Union Bay yesterday afternoon with a cargo of four and one-half million feet of lumber and two thousand tons of Comox coal, is the largest vessel ever cleared from that port. This is the first shipment of an order for 11,000,000 feet of lumber which the E. K. Wood Company of Bellngham have given to the government for building the Panama canal. Most of the lumber for this contract will come from Comox district, where the wood company has had several logging camps in operation some months. The Como has been chartered to carry the entire lot, and cleared for Ancon, Central America, yesterday.

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LAWN TENNIS.

J. B. A. A. Handicap

The J. B. A. A. amateur tennis tournament was continued at the courts yesterday. Some of the games are being warmly contested and creating a great deal of excitement. The result of yesterday's games are as follows:

J. Heyland beat J. Hunter, 6-1, 6-2.
J. Leeming beat E. H. Russell, 6-1, 6-4.
J. Hart beat E. Carr, Hilton, 3-6, 6-2.

J. Cambie beat D. Leeming by default.
J. Leeming beat R. A. Bethune, 6-1, 6-3.
J. Prior beat G. S. Kingswell, 6-0, 6-4.

B. P. Schwengens beat R. E. N. Jones by default.

Miss Clarke beat Miss K. Fraser, 6-3.

Miss C. Hardie beat Miss Lang by default.

Fixtures for Today

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HON. SENATOR S. A. BERNIER PURCHASES A NEW SCALE WILLIAMS PIANO.

Among the visitors at the fair yesterday were the Hon. Senator and Mrs. S. A. Bernier. With no previous intention of purchasing a musical instrument, and decided only by the obvious merits of the celebrated New Scale Williams Piano exhibited by the Williams Piano Company, the Hon. Senator, after an inspection of this showpiece, telephoned for musical expert, and after his examination, with further deliberation, ordered one of these magnificent instruments sent to his residence. The piano was a French humpback walnut case of the English Renaissance design.

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Winnipeggers Informed of the Charms of the Capital of the Province.

"M. T." writing in the Manitoba Free Press in the issue of Sunday last, says: If Tennyson had lived in Victoria while writing "The Lotus Eaters," he had not needed to invent his landscape to suit the soft oblivion or the dreamy slumber which it brings. This is not to say that the landscape would have been the same. It would not, but it would have suited, with its firs and pines and aromatic odors, its slow-waking afternoons and dreamy summer atmosphere. And he could have driven the bark of Ulysses into many a shadow bay whose wooded shores exhaled a sumptuous perfume. I have been here two weeks and watched for a rough sea, and then a vexing mist hiding the Olympic peaks on the horizon. Victoria has its own to find only sparkling waves, with now a lotus bloom during permanent foggy days, if not to indecline. No city in all Canada has so large an independent population who live here because they choose it, while the native-born Victorian has a passionate love of his city, and of his island. Many of them would fain be a crown colony, trading only with the great seaports of western Asia. With the dividing mountains, it looks as if nature would have it so, and Victoria is nearer those ports than San Francisco. I know one can readily reply that the railway has made an easy path through the mountains, but that would only be the beginning of an argument I would better leave alone.

This Beautiful Capital of British Columbia, which looks to the Orient for its commerce, has an interesting history. It was in March, 1843, that a small black steamer called the Beaver came ten years before by order of that famous "company of adventurers trading into Hudson's Bay," and launched under the patronage of the Sailor King, anchored in Camosun harbor, with Chief Trader Douglas and fifteen men on board. The Indians of the Songhees village, curious and angry, paddled out to examine and learn the meaning of "the big canoe that smokes and thunders." This was the first steamer to plough these Pacific waters, and for more than half a century she faithfully served her "honorable company," finally serving her "honorable company" to the bottom of the ocean in 1888, on the rocks off the harbor across the strait. Douglas cleared ground and built a fort naming it Camosun. The landmark is preserved by a tablet on a building opposite the Bank of Montreal. The first name was changed to Albert for the prince consort, and finally to Victoria. From 1888 the company had, by crown grant, the sole right of trading for twenty-one years with the Indians west of the Rockies. In 1886 it acquired to cover the whole of Vancouver Island. In the same year Richard Blanshard was sent out as the first colonial governor, without salary. In two years he returned home, and again

Douglas, the Real Founder, and father of the colony, was appointed in his place. He immediately constructed a representative and self-sustaining government out of the material to his hand, and ruled the land with wisdom and grace, like the fabled king who judged sitting in the sun. Like him, too, his "city" was among the rocks, with trees of fir added. This standard of British Columbia did not receive its name from the mother of his country, but from Douglas, the botanist, who made the famous blunder about the altitude of Mrs. Brown about Hooker. Herein was the wisdom of James Douglas. He paid no working heed to despatches from Downing street, and it had been well for Britain if many a colonial ruler had done likewise. One of these official documents, as read and remembered by Agnes Deans Cameron, was as follows: You will immediately proceed to gather all the Indians of California (and the imperial nations of B.C. geography) into reservations, where

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law and the gospel may conveniently be presented to them. Sir Bartle Frere recently suggested this plan, with much success among the Kaffirs at the Cape." At this moment I fancy I hear down the years, the echo of a boisterous laugh as the sturdy governor laid down the document. To quote Miss Cameron: "B. C. is big enough to place in it, side by side, at the same time, two Englands, three Irelands, four Scotlands and still leave 5,000 square miles uncovered!" Among the

Lasting Achievements

Douglas wrought for the province are the splendid roads over which the unthickening tourist bowls. He sowed the seed of the Scotch broom, which grows everywhere so abundantly. He would carry it in his pocket and scatter it when driving. Victorians have done honor to his memory in different ways.

He is the author of an incident in early B.C. history. When Captain Gordon, brother of Prime Minister Aberdeen, visited Vancouver Island, he was treated to a dish of smoking hot salmon. "What is that?" he asked. "Salmon; we have plenty here." "Here you fish and rods?" "No; we use lines and bait; the Indians catch them in nets." "No the and rods? then indeed you have turned savages." Fishing therefore became part of the question for discussion, and his party represented the swiftest horses were employed, and the noble visitors rode in a deer hunt. Finlayson, the Hudson's Bay factor, asked Gordon: "Is not this beautiful?" and received for an answer: "I would not give one of the bleakest knolls of all the bleak hills of Scotland for twenty such islands, arrayed like this in barbaric glory." Finlayson asked himself what the government meant by sending such an ass to set a valuation on the northwest coast. Gordon replied to secure one deer, and then turned to cursing when he saw how, when there were no park enclosures, men could average six a day without fatigue.

Long before the city was laid out and building began, Fort Victoria was the chief human feature of the place. In 1849, a small dairy was the only building standing outside the fort-pickets. Douglas and a later chief factor built a house, and a village grew slowly. In 1857, there was but one wharf on the harbor, although the town had been laid out in streets five years before when Douglas became governor. For long the Hudson's Bay fort was the most imposing building of the town and there was also a fort on the northeast side of the harbor. There are pleasant and romantic records of social life in those days, when the fort was a great hall, or tea-dinner with dance and song till midnight. In 1858 the great gold rush from California came, and 30,000 miners wintered in Victoria; and in 1862 the city was incorporated. It now covers an area of eight square miles and has a population of over 23,000, of which some 10,000 are Chinese. There are many show places and many beauty spots, and many genuine beautiful country houses within the city limits—from one to seven acres, with luxuriant growth of trees and shrubs, vines and flowers, with not too much stiff landscape gardening, and all as seeme from intrusion and noise as though lounges away—surely this is

A Country Home

Yesterday we had afternoon tea in one of these manor houses, and of interior feature was its magnificent hall, which was all in bloom with masses of cut flowers. To descend its stairway and walk to the drawingroom was to breathe a spirit of noblesse odisse. I thought of what a well known writer recently said about the influence of stately old houses. He felt bound to the best in him when he must walk a great distance from his bed-window to his bed, nearly all of these residences are built of wood, many of them shingled with cedar. In my wanderings I strayed into a place owned by an elderly Victorian lady on a meekly-lit heights, was a modest wooden residence in a colonial style is nearing completion. The stone fence surrounding the six acres and the foundation wall, which varies in height from four to thirteen feet, was built of stones taken off the site. The outlook from every side of the house includes seven beautiful bays. From the draw-ing-room window you look across the strait of Juan de Fuca to the white-crested Olympic range and Mount Baker, while nearer in the mountains of Vancouver the dark shadows of sombre green forests cover the tops. Every window in the house looks out on some grand aspect of nature beyond the Loveliness of Lawns

and glade and rich luxuriance of bloom within the stone enclosure; and in a year or two when some wall will be seen a living thing that will be under forty yards of English ivy. The house under a spacious colonnade with thirty-three Greek columns, and under this is a bowing alley over sixty feet long. Separated from the drawingroom by doric columns, is the music room with an immense recess for a piano or organ. Beyond this with folding doors, is the conservatory with the floor. The dining room has two Tudor arched and the library and billiard room are on the same grand scale. The paneling is of native Douglas fir, treated so as to en-

hance its beautiful grain. The large hall is lighted mainly from the dome and has a red brick fire-place. There are fireplaces everywhere and the house has many private apartments (notable even bathrooms) which space forbids chronicling. Altogether it will be a "homey" place for a "house party." The whole construction is honest in a patriotic sense, all the materials used being native to the Island. The contract price of house and stable is only \$30,000.

The house in which we are staying is an old family residence set in an acre of garden with an orchard behind, leading to the street, and across the driveway a tennis court. The walks of the garden are bordered with perennial flowers in

Rich and Redolent Bloom

and crowded, sheltering trees and shrubbery are everywhere. There are tall, straight, silvery poplars, high branching oaks and radiant golden locust trees; there are cedar and juniper, magnolia, camellia, azalea, holly and laurel and various other sorts. And the name of this home in the old garden is Avontur, a sweet Dutch word meaning literally evening hour. I wish there were words compact of perfume to tell the scents of the garden when the loosening evening breeze, faintly salt, comes through the trees. We sit in their close shade on the edge of a vignette of lawn while the sun is high, all the city shut out. It is the gentle Eliza's sweet security with a difference.

Wishing to escape for a season, winter or summer, the materialistic significance of wheat, let him come to Avontur. Within doors there is much to interest the guest, such as an old library with first edition to his hand, even to Salvini's Bible, and portraits looking wistfully from the past, and a wonderful hunting scene in tapestry, done by an ancestor in France, for the garden is owned by an old French name, Leveven. Among the guests are English people belonging to army or navy, who, after service in India or Africa or other outposts of the Empire, have drifted this way and made

Island Their Home

And very gentle people they are, with a frank and interested reminiscence. One friend, a noted surgeon, is a old sportsman who loves to bark back to big fish and game in India. He is seventy years old and still loves fishing above all earthly joys, scorning any catch below a twenty-pound weight. Yesterday he left for his pet fishing waters near the mouth of the Campbell river, where he once caught, with rod and fly, a fish weighing 604 pounds. Dr. X. has this in common with the meek and heavenly-minded Walton; he envies no man anything but that he should catch more fish than himself.

Right by Avontur is Beacon Hill park, a reservation of 300 acres high above us on the edge of the town of Juan de Fuca. Rather the park lies undulatingly about the hill, which overlooks city and harbor, strait and mountain; and whose abrupt, though grassy descent to the water, is intersected by a driveway called Dallas road. There are miles of driving in the park under huge forest trees or winding about the picturesque ponds edged with weeping willow and larch, cedar and holly, and other trees that speedily adapt themselves to this warm, moist atmosphere. There is a species of pine which looks like cedar or cedar which looks like pine, called Wellingtonia, which grows to enormous and

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